

**Howard County Police Department
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ARREST: Robbery and carjacking update

Police have made two arrests in two recent incidents in Columbia: a Feb. 21 robbery in the 7500 block of Monarch Mills Way and a Feb. 28 carjacking in the 8700 block of Cloudleap Court. In the robbery, an adult male victim who is a taxi driver reported that he dropped off two male suspects at Monarch Mills Way. Before exiting the vehicle, the suspects assaulted him and stole cash. No serious injuries were reported. In the carjacking, an adult male victim reported that he was sitting in his parked vehicle when he was approached by two male suspects with their faces partially covered who implied a gun, threatened him, and demanded his vehicle. The victim complied and the suspects drove off in the vehicle. The vehicle was recovered later that night in a neighboring jurisdiction. No one was injured. Through investigation, police identified the suspects and arrested them for both incidents.

ARRESTED: two juvenile males, 16 and 15, of Columbia, charged with carjacking, robbery, and related charges

Robbery

Columbia, 21044: 10300 block of Little Patuxent Parkway, March 5 1:52 p.m.

An adult male victim reported that he arranged online to purchase a video game system at the above location. Once there, the victim gave two suspects cash but did not receive the item he was purchasing. The suspects then displayed a gun and fled in a vehicle. No one was injured. Through investigation, police identified the suspects and arrested them.

ARRESTED: Jamaal Tavon Talbert, 24, and Nandi Kira Roberson, 24, both of Connecticut Avenue NW in Washington, D.C., charged with armed robbery, robbery, assault, and a weapon violation

*Residents are reminded that the police department offers three designated safe places to conduct transactions arranged online. Designated parking spaces, marked with yellow signs, are available at the Northern District Station at 3410 Court House Drive, Ellicott City; and Southern District Station at 11226 Scaggsville Road, Laurel; and Community Outreach at 10471 Little Patuxent Parkway, Columbia. Individuals may also use the lobby of each station.

Theft from vehicle/vehicle break-in

Columbia, 21045: 6100 block of Old Dobbin Road, March 5 6:40 a.m., multiple vehicles: unclear what if anything was stolen

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